

**NJ Child Assault Prevention
PRESCHOOL CAP
Grant Application for Fall 2006-2007**

Eligibility criteria: Only state or federally funded licensed childcare centers are eligible for this round of funding. This may include Headstarts, Abbott community childcare centers, those centers who have voucher slots funded by the Division of Youth and Services (DYFS) and any centers receiving state and federal funds (SSBG, etc.). Preschools located in public or parochial schools are not eligible for this round of funding.

Instructions: The Child Care Center Administrator shall complete the following application form, review with the CAP County Coordinator and sign implementation timelines and contract criteria, and return to the NJ CAP Regional Training Center, 900 Hollydell Court, Sewell, NJ 08080, by **SEPTEMBER 15, 2006**. Applications may be faxed by deadline to 856-582-3588. If faxed the original signed application must be sent by September 19, 2006 to be eligible for funding. Childcare administrators will be notified of grant awards by September 29, 2006.

COUNTY: _____

NAME OF DAYCARE _____ PHONE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

NAME OF DAYCARE DIRECTOR: _____

Schools applying for the CAP project grant are requested to provide 10% of the total cost of implementation. This matching of funds expands the CAP grant to other centers. Exceptions to this request must be in writing and approved by the State CAP Office. This approval will be based on fiscal needs. If your center is eligible for urban aide funding or can document financial need and other related factors, the provision may be waived.

PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:

1. NJ CAP grant monies will be awarded based on the total number of workshops implemented, as follows:

___ # of children's workshops x \$177.00 (cost per preschool class) = \$ _____
(a max. of 15 children per class)

___ # of kindergarten classes x \$161.00 (cost per kindergarten class) = \$ _____

___ # of adult workshops x \$166.00 (cost per adult wksp) = \$ _____

TOTAL COST OF IMPLEMENTATION = \$ _____

Total funding contributed by school = \$ _____

Total funding contributed by CAP state grant = \$ _____

2. The NJ CAP Preschool Program is for 3 ½ -5 year olds. No more than 15 children should be in a class. **Please list the number of classrooms of 3 ½ -5 year olds that you need trained.** _____

3. Which type(s) of services do you provide?

___ Child Care Center (full time)

___ Special Ed/Developmentally Disabled Program

___ School Age Child Care Program

Other (describe): _____

4. Funding Source:
This funding round is only for government funded centers and those centers who are eligible for state and federal funds. In order for us to access your eligibility for CAP Funds; please list your preschools funding sources:

Private Profit ____ Private Non-Profit ____ SSBG ____ DYFS _____ Abbott Schools _____
Any other state or federal funds that your center receives (please include DYFS funded programs and vouchers): _____

5. Statement of Need:
Describe why your center needs the CAP program and the supplemental funding to implement the program.

6. Statement of Support:
Describe how your center will advertise the CAP program and how the staff, parents and community will be involved.

7. **CAP PRESCHOOL CRITERIA**

The Preschool applying for the CAP Preschool program will meet the following criteria:

- a. The preschool will support the implementation of the CAP model according to the design of National CAP, including:
 - . Teacher Workshops – provide 1 ½-2 hours of continuous and uninterrupted time for teacher inservice;
 - . Support Staff - (e.g. bus drivers, crossing guards, maintenance and kitchen staff) will be invited to participate in parent or teacher workshops.
 - . Parent Workshops - provide space to conduct a minimum of one, 1 1/2 - 2 hour parent workshop.
 - . Children Workshops - provide a 45minute block of uninterrupted time for 3 consecutive days for CAP children workshops including 20 minutes with adequate space for those children in a post workshop review.
- b. All classes within the contracting preschool will participate.
- c. The preschool will have school board approval (if applicable).
- d. The preschools will be available for implementation during the time frame of October 2, 2006 and May 11, 2007.
- e. The preschools will participate in CAP evaluation after completion of project.
- f. After the CAP project has finished implementation in the preschool, the preschool will continue to encourage their students and parents to utilize CAP strategies in the classroom and in the community.

CAP Timelines/Deadlines

By June 12, 2006 - NJ CAP Regional Training Center will have sent out all Preschool Applications to all County CAP coordinators to be distributed to all interested daycares within their counties.

By September 15, 2006 - All daycare applicants will have reviewed application form with county coordinator, completed the form and sent it back to the NJ CAP Regional Training Center.

By September 29, 2006 - All grant applicants will have been selected and notified of their grant awards. Contracts and purchase orders will follow.

By May 11, 2007- All CAP preschool workshops will have been completed. Fiscal and statistical reports will be completed and returned to NJ CAP Regional Training Center. These reports will be compiled in cooperation with County CAP coordinators.

I have read and agreed to the above criteria and deadlines and I understand that they are essential for the efficient and effective implementation of the CAP program within my school.

Preschool/DayCare Administrator

Date